







# MORE TIME ASKED

President Unable to Carry Out the Provisions of the Porto Rico Bill.

## SPECIAL MESSAGE SENT TO CONGRESS

Army Officers Now Doing Civil Duties Can Not Do So After the First of Next Month.

A Joint Resolution, Providing for Relief, Introduced in the Senate and Referred to the Committee on Porto Rico.

Washington, April 19.—The president sent to congress the following message:

"The time remaining before the 1st of May, when the act of April 12, 1900, entitled 'An act temporarily to provide revenue and a civil government for Porto Rico, and for other purposes,' will take effect, appears to be insufficient for the careful inquiry and consideration requisite to the proper selection of suitable persons to fill the important civil offices provided for by the act. The powers of the present government will cease when the act goes into effect, and some new acts will be necessary to enable the officers now performing the various duties of civil government to continue to continue the performance of those duties until the officers who are to perform similar duties under the new government shall have been appointed and qualified. That authority can not well be given at present by temporary appointments of the existing officers to positions under the new act for the reason that many of the existing officers are officers of the army detailed to the performance of civil duties, and section 1272 of the act of April 12, 1900, would prevent them from accepting such temporary appointments under the penalty of losing their commissions. The selection of the new officers and the organization of the new government under the act referred to will be accomplished with all possible speed, but in order that it may be properly accomplished, I recommend the passage of a joint resolution to obviate the difficulty above stated."

To carry into effect the president's message, Mr. Foraker, chairman of the Porto Rico committee, introduced this joint resolution:

"That until the officer to fill any office provided for by the act of April 12, 1900, entitled 'An act temporarily to provide revenue and a civil government for Porto Rico, and for other purposes,' shall have been appointed and qualified, the officer or officers now performing the civil duties pertaining to such offices may continue to perform the same until the appointment and qualification of any such officers beyond the 1st day of August 1900."

On motion of Senator Foraker the resolution and the message were referred to the committee on Porto Rico.

## IMPOSSIBLE TO HOLD.

Kumasi Is So Closely Invested as to Make the Situation Excceedingly Grave.

Aceca, Gold Coast Colony, West Africa, April 19.—The situation here is so grave that it is impossible to hold. The situation is so grave that it is impossible to hold.

A British officer who is in command of an important station north of Kumasi says that unless relief is forthcoming soon, it will be impossible to hold out.

The first relief force is expected to arrive at Kumasi soon, and it will attempt to force the cordon.

Natives here are convinced that French influences are operating against the British.

## BISHOP THOUBURN ILL.

He Is Suffering From Mental Exhaustion at the Home of His Relatives in Kingston, O.

New York, April 19.—Bishop J. M. Thoburn, of the Methodist Episcopal church in India, who arrived in this country ten days ago to attend the ecclesiastical conference in this city, is ill at Kingston, O., the home of his relatives, suffering from mental exhaustion. It is not likely that he will be able to attend the conference.

Bishop Thoburn, who is now over 60 years of age, went to India as a missionary in 1859, and has been there since. In 1887 he was the head of the 'interdenominational committee' which took charge of the American fund for the relief of the famine sufferers in India.

Warning to the Sultan.

London, April 19.—The Vienna correspondent of the Times says: 'By further resistance to the demands of the United States the sultan will expose himself to grave consequences which he probably had not foreseen. The United States government is not accustomed to indulge in empty threats. If the sultan for a moment supposes that he would find protection from any European power, let him remember Spain.'

# RELIAGE. RELIEF IS NEAR.

It Will Be Enormous, Caused By Overflowed Rivers in the Southern States.

## FULL DETAILS ARE AS YET UNKNOWN

Communication From Many Places Is Entirely Cut Off, Both By Rail and Wire Service.

The Destruction of the Railroads Is Being Rapidly Repaired, and Trains Will Soon Be Running Over Most Lines on Time.

Memphis, Tenn., April 19.—Damage by the floods on the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley and Illinois Central railroads is being rapidly repaired. Laborers are at work on all the injured portions of the lines, and it is expected that the way will be clear on both roads within the next 42 hours. The officials of the Illinois Central have information to the effect that the tracks of that line are clear as far south as McCormick City, and those of the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley as far as Vicksburg. The work can not be carried on below those points on account of the water still being over the tracks, but it is receding rapidly, and the work will be pushed forward as soon as the section men can get at the damaged tracks.

Citronville, Ala., reports that the tracks of the Mobile & Ohio railroad between Meridian and State Line are practically washed out the entire distance. The operator at Desoto reported water three feet deep over the tracks under the State Line. The lower portions of the country are completely inundated, many cabins being surrounded by water. The tracks have been abandoned. Much damage to crops is expected when fuller details are received. At Tusculum, Ala., the water rose several feet and is the highest known for years. One person is reported drowned near the river. The water rose across the river from Tusculum, Ala., has been compelled to move their stocks to upper stories of their buildings by the water.

## LABOR LEGISLATION.

The Gardner Eight-Hour Bill Is Amended, and Is Being Reported to Congress.

Washington, April 19.—The house committee on labor in charge of the Gardner eight-hour bill reported its decision on the final form of the bill and on several amendments, all of which will be reported to the committee on labor next Friday, when it is expected that final action will be taken. The bill has attracted much interest in the labor movement, and has been energetically opposed by many large steel and shipbuilding and manufacturing concerns doing business with the government, as the measure will have the effect of fixing an eight-hour day on minor and like concerns and in the building of warships.

The amendments made are intended to overcome objections raised during recent extended hearings, one of them provides that the act shall not apply to transportation. This is to overcome the objection that the route to a factory where government work was being done might be held up because the train had not the materials for the government.

These and other articles are designed to free the measure from the chief objections brought against it, and some of them were drafted by the Federation of Labor authorities. The act of the sub-committee was not unanimous in ordering a report.

Miners Return to Work.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 19.—The coal miners of the Pittsburgh district all returned to work today. The Buena Vista mine on the Youghiogheny. These men are expected to go in soon. The committee appointed the day after yesterday to negotiate with the operators on the outside day wage scale will meet with the company representatives at the National Coal Miners' association, which is being held at the conference.

Ahead of Schedule Time.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 19.—Work on the setting up of the steel contract for the emergency contract and perhaps a little better.

Only Two Operators at Work.

Russellville, Ala., April 19.—A general strike is on by the telegraph operators of the Missouri & Alabama railway. The operators at this place struck at noon. The north bound passenger train was run by card men. Only two operators are reported at duty.

The Blockade at Wepener Is Still Kept up But May Soon Be Raised.

## HEAVY RAINS IMPEDE THE MOVEMENTS

Large Quantities of Stores Are Being Moved Southward From Bloemfontein By the British.

There Are Two Thousand Sick in the Field Hospitals Here. Buller and Warren Have Probably Been Recalled—War News.

London, April 19.—Heavy rains impede the movements of the British columns. The blockade of Wepener continues, although relief is near. Large quantities of stores are being moved southward from Bloemfontein, which is a reversal of the course of freight for the last six weeks. These shipments are made necessary by the operations in the southeast of the Free State.

There are 2,000 sick in the field hospitals, most of the cases being of dysentery and enteric fever. With the exception of these facts the embargo upon war intelligence is almost complete. The special correspondents send trial statements, which obscure rather than explain the situation, in their efforts to prepare matter that will pass the censor. There is a general feeling of expectancy that large things are about to happen.

What is to be done with Sir Ivelers Buller and Sir Charles Warren occupies everybody's attention. The papers continue to contain earnest appeals for Lord Roberts' removal from the command. They ask if more error is not likely to occur, together with fruitless waste of life, in the event that men who have been declared incompetent by their superiors continue to command 40,000 troops. It is now generally accepted that the government has a purpose in the publication of Lord Roberts' dispatch, and that the recall of Gen. Buller and Gen. Warren has probably been decided upon.

According to Boer reports, there is a steady flow of foreign volunteers to the Transvaal. Hints are being given that the Boers have been attached to the various commands. Now it is said they are to be formed into a special corps for the command of the Boers. There is a rumor that the command will be given to a distinguished French soldier, lately retired, who is now in the Transvaal or is securing the end of the journey thither. Presumably the officer referred to in this report is Gen. de Negrier, former member of the French supreme council of war, who was removed from the active list last July by the Marquis de Galliffet as a disciplinary measure during the conflict with the Boers.

## WILL MAKE A PROTEST.

The Transvaal Government Objects to England Sending the Boer Prisoners to St. Helena.

Pretoria, April 19.—As soon as the Boer award in the Delagoa bay railway arbitration was published, the Transvaal government offered to let Portugal the amount she was condemned to pay (\$3,000,000), which, however, was courteously declined. The statement being made that the money was already provided.

The government is receiving many angry letters from members on the subject of sending the Boer prisoners to St. Helena, and will formally protest to the British government. The secretary of State Reitz says the Transvaal government is not taking any resolution regarding the destruction of the mines.

## BRITISH WELL ENTRENCHED.

Boers Have Wepener Still Surrounded—British Troops Driven Across the River.

Pretoria, April 17.—The latest official reports from the Orange Free State are to the effect that Gen. Buller is still surrounded by the Boers. The forces at Wepener, though the British are strongly entrenched in Boer fashion, indicating that they are co-operating with the Boers.

Commandant Froneman reports that he chased 400 troops across the river in the direction of Alval North, capturing several prisoners.

It is said that Bethulie bridge has been blown up.

Col. Crofton on Half Pay.

London, April 19.—Col. Crofton, who was in command at Spion Kop from the time Gen. Buller was wounded until Col. Thorneycroft was appointed to the position, and whose heliograph messages to Gen. Buller were the last to be received, is to be placed on half pay.

Discomforts From Drenching Rains.

London, April 19.—The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post, telegraphing from April 17, says: 'The town has been drenched with rain during the last three days, which has caused the greatest discomfort, especially as the rain brigade is not provided with tents.'

Boers Laying in Stores.

London, April 19.—The Morning Post has the following from Bloemfontein, dated Tuesday: 'In view of

the advisability of a retreat through Swaziland, emissaries of the Boers are endeavoring to purchase secret information concerning movements in the Greytown country, which are only known to the natives, with the object of accumulating provisions and ammunition. Large quantities of British forage and stores were dispatched to the south yesterday.'

## British Troops Advance.

London, April 19.—The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Times, telegraphing from April 17, says: 'A correspondent with Gen. Chermide reports that the third division has advanced eight miles east of Reddersburg and gone into camp where the Irish Rifles surrendered. Four hundred Boers had just evacuated the position. Gen. Chermide had no further contact with the Boers.'

## Tore Off Their Red Cross Badges.

London, April 19.—According to a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Lorenzo Marques, nearly half the members of the Chicago ambulance corps, who offered services on their arrival at Pretoria, tore off their red cross badges. Adelsberg S. Hay, United States consul, notified the Transvaal government, which must report the circumstances to Washington.

## To Intercept Carrington's Forces.

London, April 19.—The Lorenzo Marques correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing Wednesday, says: 'Two hundred and fifty Boers started today from Waterloodorp, marching through the Zoupanburg district, to intercept Gen. Carrington's forces.'

## PROGRESSIVE PEOPLES PARTY.

The Middle-of-the-Road Populists of Missouri Adopt a New Name for the Party.

Kansas City, Mo., April 19.—Middle-of-the-road populists at their mass convention effected a permanent state organization and adopted a new name, the 'progressive people's party.' The name will be presented to the national convention for ratification. The platform demands legislation on the Omaha platform, urges the reduction of state and county salaries to correspond with the prices paid for products, denounces both the old parties for failure to enact initiative and referendum legislation; for the protection of corporations, and for the protection of national banks; condemns Wm. J. Bryan and John D. Rockefeller for their alleged connection with the trusts; and demands the democratic state administration because of its 'disregard for paramount interests of the people.'

A full scale fight was headed by Richard Thomas, of Saline county, for governor, was named. Capt. Wm. C. Albridge, a farmer of California, Mo., was the favorite candidate for governor, declined the nomination. The convention selected 25 delegates to the Cincinnati convention and 16 delegates to the national election.

## VOLUNTEER OFFICERS.

A Bill Introduced for the Benefit of Gen. Joe Wheeler, Fitzhugh Lee and J. H. Wilson.

Washington, April 19.—Representative Grosvenor, of Ohio, introduced a bill authorizing the president to appoint three volunteer officers as brigadier generals, with a view to their retirement.

The bill is an administration measure, having been presented by Mr. Grosvenor after conference with administration officials and at their request. It is designed to honor Joseph Wheeler, Fitzhugh Lee and James H. Wilson, all of them volunteers, who, by the terms of the bill, would be ranked brigadier generals in the regular service and subsequently retired.

## Murder at a Dance.

Natchez, Miss., April 19.—Early on Tuesday morning Herman J. Millette killed Lesley Schuch. The men engaged in a quarrel at a dance, when Millette drew a dirk and stabbed Schuch to the heart. Millette is now in the stationery department in a large drug store in this city. He has not been captured. Schuch is a married man and leaves a widow and three children. Both young men are prominently connected.

## German Officials Protected in China.

Berlin, April 19.—According to advice from Kaio Kow, Chan Tung, the German officials there have succeeded in obtaining guarantees from the new governor general of Chan Tung, that the German officials and their families would be protected from interference during railroad construction.

## Prices of Stocks Advanced.

Chicago, April 19.—At a meeting of the Western and Southern Association of Store Manufacturers and of other three local organizations, held here, it was decided to advance the selling prices of all stores five per cent.

## Cabinet Officers Going to Boston.

Washington, April 19.—Secretaries Long, Root, Gage and Wilson and possibly Secretary Hay will attend a banquet at Boston, April 26, given by the National Manufacturers' association.

## An Old-Time Ball Player Dead.

Bloomington, Ill., April 19.—James R. Clark, one of the earliest professional baseball players in this country, who was famous as a catcher with eastern clubs in the sixties, died here, aged 55 years.

## Bill to Regulate Wages.

Washington, April 19.—Mr. Glynn, of New York, introduced a resolution making \$2 the minimum of wages for the labor of the government.

## SHORT SPECIALS.

Fire destroyed Morris Dickin & Co.'s box factory in Jersey City, Loss, \$90,000.

King Oscar and the queen of Sweden and Norway have arrived in London.

There is no truth, according to advice from St. Petersburg, in the report that Emperor Nicholas will meet Emperor William at Dantzig.

Congressman Henry D. Loudenslager was named secretary of the navy, the Republicans of the First New Jersey congressional district.

The passenger lists of European steamships show that, in spite of the reports of the scarcity of accommodations, few of them carried anything like a full quota of passengers.

Representative Fitzgerald, of Massachusetts, introduced a bill repealing the stamp tax on express packages.

A congress of German surgeons is being held in Berlin. There is an exhibition of surgical instruments.

## WEDNESDAY'S NEWS BRIEF.

The deaths throughout India for a week aggregate upward of 4,000.

Unusually strict measures are being taken in London against the bubonic plague. The disease is raging in India and has appeared at several points on the Red Sea.

The president sent the name of Frank W. Hackett, of New Hampshire, to be assistant secretary of the navy, to the senate. He will succeed Secretary Allen, appointed as governor of Porto Rico.

Three scientists, comprising the Jesuit expedition, sent out by the American Museum of Natural History, of New York, to explore the unknown portions of northeastern Siberia, have sailed from San Francisco. Gen. Buller and Warren have been severely criticized by Gen. Lord Roberts for the part they took in the failure of the expedition. Official historians caused the defeat of the British. Gen. Warren has been ordered to return home.

The supreme court decided that the Illinois wage law is unconstitutional and an infringement upon the personal liberty of citizens, depriving them of privileges implied by the state and federal constitutions. The law prohibited the use of the national emblem for advertising and decorative purposes.

Thomas M. Page Dead.

St. Paul, Minn., April 19.—Thomas M. Page, president of the Page & Krause Manufacturing and Mining Co., died at his home in this city of heart disease. He was 64 years of age. He was the author of a number of books and contributed many articles to various magazines. He served as a member of the board of directors of the Memphis company, during the civil war.

## After That Floating Dry Dock.

Washington, April 19.—Senator Hoar reported from the senate committee on naval affairs an amendment to the naval appropriation bill authorizing the president to purchase from the government of Spain, for use in the harbor of Havana, the iron steel floating dry dock belonging to that government and now in the harbor of Havana.

## Released From Jail.

New York, April 19.—Cecil Leslie, the advertising manager for the 329 per cent. Franklin syndicate, who was indicted for complicity in the fraud, and who was held in custody at the New York City Jail, because District Attorney Clark declared he had not sufficient evidence to convict him.

## Famine in Jamaica.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 19.—The consequences of the failure of the banana crop in the province of St. Thomas, widespread and acute suffering is being felt. The death of many of the people from starvation has occurred among the people there.

## Congressman Acheson Renominated.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 19.—The conference of the 24th republican congressional district in convention here and renominated Hon. E. F. Acheson for a fourth term by acclamation. The national delegates were instructed to vote for McKinley.

## THE MARKETS.

Cincinnati, April 19. FLOUR—Spring fancy, \$3.04/32; spring family, \$2.95/35; spring patent, \$3.05/37; winter fancy, \$3.15/37; winter family, \$3.00/32; winter patent, \$3.10/33; extra, \$3.20/34; No. 1, \$3.10/33; No. 2, \$3.00/32; No. 3, \$2.90/31; No. 4, \$2.80/30; No. 5, \$2.70/29; No. 6, \$2.60/28; No. 7, \$2.50/27; No. 8, \$2.40/26; No. 9, \$2.30/25; No. 10, \$2.20/24; No. 11, \$2.10/23; No. 12, \$2.00/22; No. 13, \$1.90/21; No. 14, \$1.80/20; No. 15, \$1.70/19; No. 16, \$1.60/18; No. 17, \$1.50/17; No. 18, \$1.40/16; No. 19, \$1.30/15; No. 20, \$1.20/14; No. 21, \$1.10/13; No. 22, \$1.00/12; No. 23, \$0.90/11; No. 24, \$0.80/10; No. 25, \$0.70/9; No. 26, \$0.60/8; No. 27, \$0.50/7; No. 28, \$0.40/6; No. 29, \$0.30/5; No. 30, \$0.20/4; No. 31, \$0.10/3; No. 32, \$0.00/2; No. 33, \$0.00/1; No. 34, \$0.00/0; No. 35, \$0.00/-1; No. 36, \$0.00/-2; No. 37, \$0.00/-3; No. 38, \$0.00/-4; No. 39, \$0.00/-5; No. 40, \$0.00/-6; No. 41, \$0.00/-7; No. 42, \$0.00/-8; No. 43, \$0.00/-9; No. 44, \$0.00/-10; No. 45, \$0.00/-11; 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# OUR WATER BOX

Correspondents will please give facts as briefly as possible. When anything of great importance occurs use the Telegram or the Telephone at our expense.

## MOUNT GILEAD.

Mr. Howard Farrow is in bed and under the care of Dr. Dobyns.

Miss Lide Morehead is unconscious most of the time and her two sisters, Miss Kate and Mrs. France are with her, but both are in bed under the doctor's treatment.

The winter is reaching so far into the lap of spring that vegetation is slow in appearing. Plants in the earliest snow beds are just beginning to show their tiny double-leaf, yet preparations are slowly but surely being made for a fall crop. The prospect for wheat and newly sown grass is excellent, though just emerging from a pretty cold winter, protected by frequent snows. We should not be discouraged or impatient, —there is a time to sow and a time to reap; there is a time for all things. If the planting season varies, the season for growing and maturing may vary in proportion. Some have come to the conclusion that early or late planting of corn is generally better than between, more likely to escape the droughts that sometimes so seriously affect it at a certain stage of its growth.

## RECTORVILLE.

Arthur Pollitt is very low. Will Auxier of Indiana has moved to Rectorville.

Mr. Allen Hughes will go to Portsmouth Tuesday. John Lyons has purchased the Allen Hughes property.

Sam White is about purchasing a fine horse from Peter Moody.

Mr. Lemons of Cabin creek has moved to the Jones property.

Mr. Henry Luman of Tolleboro was on a visit to his father Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Jones of Epworth visited her parents near Rectorville Friday.

Mrs. Harvey Trisler is very ill with pneumonia, but is somewhat better at this writing.

Farmers are getting along slowly with their spring work. Some are going to plant corn Monday.

Mr. James Beak has gone to Newport on a visit to his daughters, Mrs. Minnie Fresh and Miss Mary Kuark.

## MT. CARMEL.

Mrs. Charles King is quite sick. We are now having more sickness than at any time this year.

Wood Bramel and wife visited relatives at Orangeburg Sunday.

Miss Madeline Goodman of Mt. Gilead called here one day last week.

Several young gentlemen from Noy Hill were calling here Sunday evening.

Prof. T. A. Luman and wife were guests of his mother, Mrs. M. Luman, Saturday.

Elder Willis of Flemingsburg will preach at the Christian Church the fifth Sunday.

Dr. O'Hannon and mother attended the funeral of Mary Leslie O'Hannon at Flemingsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Isaac Foxworthy attended the marriage of her brother, Mr. James A. Alexander, and Miss Bessie Childs at Maysville last week.

Mrs. Dr. Alex Wallingford was called Sunday to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Thomas Overton, who is ill at her home near Flemingsburg.

Mrs. Louise Tibbs and daughter, Misses Margaret and Belle, attended services at the Baptist Church at Mt. Gilead last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Welland of Pennsylvania spent a few days here recently, the guest of one of our young ladies. Humor predicts a wedding in the near future.

Mr. Pete Carpenter of Flemingsburg was here last week to see his brother, William Carpenter, who is quite sick at the home of his grand-daughter, Mrs. Coleman Vice.

The very large and ferocious St. Bernard dog of Dr. B. F. Eckman got hold of poison about a week ago and died. Whether it was done on purpose or accidentally we do not know, but if any one did it we think they did a kindness to the community in disposing of this nuisance, as it had attacked a number of passersby at various times who were unarmed and barely escaped being badly bitten. It would have been gratifying to many had it occurred sooner.

The remains of Mary Leslie, the little daughter of Dr. O'Hannon and wife of Flemingsburg, were interred in our cemetery last Saturday afternoon. Little Mary was born at this place in July, 1868. She was a very bright and attractive child; a favorite among her playmates and admired by all who came in contact with her. Her visits here were always hailed with delight by her little friends, and her many odd and wise sayings would have done credit to those of more mature years. The grief-stricken and sorrowing parents have the sympathy of our community in their bereavement.

It troubled a few days, loss of appetite or constipation, try a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by J. A. Wood & Son, Druggists.

# ELECT HIM AGAIN!

## INDORSING TAYLOR.

If the Foul Conspiracy Succeeds, He Should Be Re-elected.

Commonwealth Commercial Tribune.

The Kentucky Courts, it is rumored, have in effect said that the removal of Governor Taylor from the office to which the people elected him is good in law, while pernicious in fact. In other words, it is an outrage against civil liberty, perpetrated "under the forms of law," and beyond correction by the Courts for want of jurisdiction. Because the state Courts have confessed inability, as well as disinclination, to review this Legislative subversion of suffrage franchise, attempt is now made to have the Federal Supreme Court determine whether this procedure is in strict conformity to the spirit of the Federal Constitution and the republican form of government guaranteed to every state. Is not Governor Taylor entirely within his rights as a citizen, and of an official, deposed by usurpation, in taking this perfectly legal proceeding? The whole spirit of Judge Wright's criticism negatives that right. And, by the way, it is sympathy and help, not criticism and discouragement, that Kentucky Republicans need from their party outside the state—sympathy and subscriptions in aid of their efforts to maintain the right under menace of a great wrong.

Governor Taylor holds his office by the expressed will of majority. He is declared not entitled to it by a factional division of a partisan Legislature. That action of abrogation was had in illegal secret session and in defiance of Legislative precedent and Constitutional provision. A journal that is a manifest lie on the perjury-bearing face records the outrage as of regular proceeding and a Court declares itself unable to prevent a palpable violation of law and a self-evident subversion of suffrage. Recourse is had to the highest tribunal of the country upon a plea of contravention of the Constitution. Meantime, Governor Taylor quietly and with dignity maintains his position as the choice of the majority until this last judicial source of relief shall have been exhausted. This falling him and

## EPISCOPAL VESTRY.

Those Elected For the Church of Nativity in This City.

At the annual Parish meeting of the Church of Nativity, held Monday night last, the following communicants were elected as the Vestry of the Church:

Senior Warden—Mr. William W. Ward. Junior Warden—Mr. Omar Dodson. Treasurer—Mr. Allen C. Cole. Vestry—Messrs. William H. Cox, Samuel Smith and Harry C. Curran. Secretary of Board—Mr. Harry C. Curran.

The funeral of the late John P. Norvell took place yesterday at Carlisle. John H. Elliott has sold to C. C. Degram about 9 acres on Cabin Creek for \$25 cash.

The People's Building Association will declare its regular annual dividend on May 10th.

Admiral Drexley has wired that he cannot accept Lexington's invitation to stop in that city on his Southern trip. Thomas Higgins has sold to Thomas Higgins, Jr., a small body of land on the Kenton Station pipe for \$800 cash.

Joseph Turney of Ripley, a soldier in the Spanish-American War, has been granted a pension of \$8 per month.

On account of ill health, the Rev. Dr. E. H. Pearce has resigned the Presidency of Kentucky Wesleyan College at Winchester.

F. Devine, agent for Margaret Collins of Millersburg, sold to John and Addie Bradford the property located at the corner of Broadway and Forest avenue, Sixth Ward, for \$1,000 cash.

Mr. George Farwick, a young employee of the Collins & Rudy Lumber Co., while at work yesterday afternoon at the wood-worker at the mills, had one of his left hand severed by the machine.

Perfect digestion is the only foundation for perfect health. The food we eat must be properly digested, and the system feels every nerve, muscle and tissue must be kept in good condition. The appetite, aids digestion, gives tone and vigor to all the functions and ensures good health. Price, 50 cents. J. A. Wood & Son.

The Ashland News—Tuesday says: A professional hound came to this city this morning from Ironton, claiming that his home was in Maysville and posing as a dentist by profession. He made the rounds of the professional men, but was given the cold shoulder by some of them and roasted by others. He was turned down by everyone he met. He left this afternoon very much hurt at his cold reception.

Falls in the Back. —A. B. Farrington, Contantia, N. Y., says: "I was troubled with back pain and kidney trouble and suffered severe pains in the back and loins. I tried many remedies, but one bottle cured me. I recommend it to my friends and acquaintances." J. A. Wood & Son and Armstrong & Co.

the people, he will, perforce of law outraged and impotent to preserve its prestige through tribunals of interpretation and enforcement, give up the place to which the people elected him, and in due course appeal his cause back to the voters, the real sovereigns, as will be demonstrated when the issue comes to a vital test.

In this thought is reminder of an incident of another generation recalled by The Lexington Herald, which is respectfully referred to the calm and judicial reflection of Judge Wright and the Goebellie usurpers of Kentucky. It occurred about thirty-nine years ago, when another Democratic faction decided that it would not be governed by the majority. When this fact was well ascertained and armed resistance was organized, the United States took such steps as were necessary to establish the rule of the majority. In the Republican State Convention held in Louisville in May, 1861, Rev. Robert J. Breckinridge, probably the most talented of that remarkable family—one descendant of which is now of the usurping Goebellie officials and another, his brother, a distinguished champion of the cause of the people against the outrage—made a speech proposing Mr. Lincoln for re-election in which he spoke in essence to this effect:

"Mr. Speaker, I nominate Abraham Lincoln as a candidate for President of the United States because he is the very best man for the place. But I would nominate him for that office whether he were the best man for the place or not, because he was elected to that office and his election has been defied, until it has become necessary for the people of one-half of this country to thrash the people of the other half until they are made to understand that the will of the majority is the supreme law of the land."

Governor Taylor will surrender the commission of the majority to the command of the minority when resource of law in rescue of this threatened right is exhausted, not before. He will then appeal to the people, and he will be re-elected, if for no other reason than because he has been elected to that office and his election by the people has been defied by a faction bent on trouble and breeding calamity.

Nearly every person needs a tonic medicated at this time of year to brace up and invigorate the nervous system, to cleanse the bowels, liver and kidneys. Herbine is the best and most reliable remedy to do this. It will cure constipation, regulate the liver, invigorate the system, and give you the best of health. Price, 50 cents. J. A. Wood & Son.

Miss Kite Thomas is ill at her home in the West End.

Mr. B. B. Morton, Jr., of Covington and Miss Belle Platt, well known in this city, married Tuesday at the bride's home near Erlanger.

Several of the decaying shadetees about the Courthouse are being re-placed, and those too near the building are being removed entirely to give the sun a chance at the old house.

The Board of Trade contemplates soon having a "Ladies' Day" in Mayville. The merchants will be asked to have special displays and bargains in the lines of most interest to women. Ladies of surrounding counties are especially invited to visit the city on that day, for there will be numbers of attractions that will benefit them.

"The fall and rise of Humpty Dumpty" is the full title of the big pantomime company now being organized by F. E. Mustard & Co. and James B. Dickson. It will be a magnificent enterprise following the lines of those delightful performances given in England and which are the features of the Christmas Holidays. At Washington Opera-house Monday, April 23d. Seats now on sale at Nelson's.

## FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

The Information Contained in This Citizen's Statement is Inevitably to Mayville People.

When a resident of Mayville, whose statement appears below, who has no monetary or other interest in the article which he indorses, who is anxious to do his acquaintances and fellow-residents a good turn, who publishes in this paper his experience with Doan's Kidney Pills, that citizen must have good and sufficient reason for doing so. The following should dispel any doubts which may have existed in the reader's mind on this subject.

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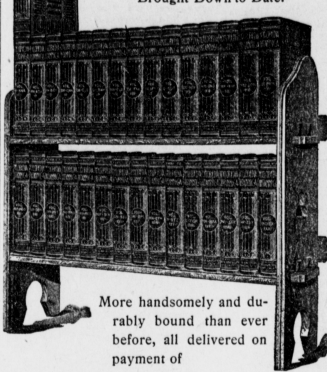
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